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FOR: LIQUID FORMULATIONS WITH HIGH CONCENTRATION OF
HUMAN GROWTH HORMONE (HGH) COMPRISING 1,2-
PROPYLENE GLYCOL

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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Sir:

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Please charge Deposit Account No. 50-4271 in the name of Sandoz in the amount of \$1050 for payment of the extension fee. An additional copy of this paper is here enclosed. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees under 37 CFR §1.17 which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Account No. 50-4271 in the name of Sandoz.

Respectfully submitted,



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